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COMMUNISTS ARE REPORTED MOVING ON ESSEN

Wage Increases For Railroad Signalmen Are Asked

75 CARRIERS NOW INVOLVED IN RATE

Cost of Living Given As Cause For Request For Higher Scale

WARTIME WAGE AGAIN IS SOUGHT

Ellenen Among Those Affected by Demand By Signal Union

(Associated Press.) Chicago, May 25.—Wage negotiations which involve an annual expenditure of approximately \$4,500,000 and 15,000 men have been requested of 75 carriers of the United States by the Brotherhood of Railroad Signalmen of America. D. W. Holt, president of the union, said today.

The union's request which went to the railroads about May 15 is predicated on arguments that the cost of living has increased since July 1, 1922, the date of the last cut received by the union men through a labor board decision.

Should the carriers grant the pay increase, ranging from 12 to 13 cents an hour, Mr. Holt said the wartime wage of the men would be virtually restored. The rates of increases requested for the various classes are as follows:

Leading signalmen and leading signal maintainers, 90 cents an hour, increase 13 cents.

Gang foremen, \$1.00 an hour, increase 12 cents.

Signalmen and signal maintainers, 85 cents an hour, increase of 13 cents.

Assistant signalmen and assistant signal maintainers, 69 cents an hour for the first six months and two cents an hour increase for every six months up to four years.

Helpers, 60 cents an hour, a boost of 13 cents.

The roads involved include the Illinois Central, the Louisville and Nashville, the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis, the Southern railway and subsidiaries.

BRITISH CABINET IS ANNOUNCED TODAY

(Associated Press.) London, May 25.—The official list of the new cabinet of Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, issued this afternoon, shows that Lord Robert Cecil has been appointed lord privy seal and that J. H. C. Davidson, who was secretary to former premier Bonar Law, becomes chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster.

Mr. Baldwin combines the premiership and the chancellorship of the exchequer. The other members of the cabinet are practically the same as in the Bonar Law ministry.

The list shows that prime Minister Baldwin failed to persuade Sir Robert Horn or Austin Chamberlain, of the Lord George cabinet, to join his ministry.

Whit Seay Placed In U. S. Hospital

(Associated Press.) Montgomery, Ala., May 25.—Governor W. W. Brandon late yesterday issued a parole for F. Whit Seay, ex-soldier from Lauderdale county, convicted in 1922 for the murder of his wife. The ex-servant man entered a plea of insanity at the trial in Lauderdale circuit court.

In issuing the parole, Governor Brandon said that an investigation of the young man's condition showed him to be mentally unbalanced.

Seay is to be placed in charge of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, and according to Governor Brandon will be sent to a government hospital at Little Rock, Ark., for treatment.

Blood Tests Halt; Guinea Pigs Gone

Another evidence of moral deterioration appeared to the members of the Tennessee Valley Laboratory force this morning when it was discovered that three of the small guinea-pigs kept for the purpose of furnishing blood from time to time, as used in the blood tests of the laboratory, had disappeared, evidently by the theft route. However, some doubt was expressed as to whether the three pigs were actually stolen or whether they had gone on a long journey in an attempt to reach South America, their original home.

But regardless of just how or why, the pigs are gone, and their loss is proving a serious inconvenience at the laboratory. Any who have duplicates of the little pets, would confer a favor, if they would call up the laboratory and offer to sell them or give them to the health unit.

WALDO CONFIDENT OF FORD'S SUCCESS

Regards Acceptance In Next Congress As Certainty, Now.

OPPOSITION TO OFFER WEAKENS

Detroit Man Growing In Popularity All Over The Nation

Expressing absolute confidence in the acceptance by Congress this winter of the Ford bid for Muscle Shoals, W. G. Waldo was here this week in connection with the pledge of Albany and Decatur to the Tennessee river improvement association.

Mr. Waldo, is the "right-hand-man," of Col. J. W. Worthington the Secretary of the Association, and is known to be in as close touch with the Henry Ford-Muscle Shoals situation as any man in the country.

"I regard the acceptance of the Ford bid for Muscle Shoals as a foregone conclusion," stated Mr. Waldo. "Public sentiment is growing stronger for the Detroit man every day."

"If there is any additional opposition developing in his aspiration to make a great stroke for the good of the entire country I do not know of it."

"As Mr. Ford's bid grows in popularity, I believe the opposition to his offer is growing weaker."

"I was glad to read in public prints accounts of the address of Congressman Almon before the American Business Men's club in Nashville a few days ago, I understand the sentiments of the Congressmen are being received with enthusiasm."

Mr. Waldo, will be recalled as the civil engineer of Chattanooga who was appointed by President Wilson as a member of the commission charged with the responsibility of making extensive investigations at Muscle Shoals several years ago.

In connection with the visit of Mr. Waldo, John Knight, stated that \$1000 of the Albany quota pledged at the annual convention of the Tennessee River Improvement Association at Chattanooga, had been paid over to the authorities of the organization. The entire quota of Albany is \$1500. Mr. Knight stated that he was sure no difficulty would be experienced in completing the pledge.

GO TO HARTSELLE

Announcement was made today by those interested in taking a large crowd of the local concert band members to Hartselle tonight, that the start would be made from the Albany-Decatur chamber of commerce rooms at 6:30 o'clock. All who are expecting to furnish cars for the trip are requested to have them ready for the start at 6:30 o'clock sharp.

MRS. STILLMAN ON MRS. LEED'S SIDE

Wife Of Banker Hopes For Victory Over Her Husband

DEEPLY PITIED OTHER WOMAN

Indian Guide Named In Case Is Annoying Her, She Writes

(Associated Press.)

New York, May 25.—Mrs. Anne Stillman hopes that Mrs. Florence Leeds will win immediately her controversy with James A. Stillman for support of the son born to Mr. Stillman and Mrs. Leeds, says a dispatch to the New York Times from Grand Anse, Quebec, today.

For Mrs. Leeds, the dispatch adds, Mrs. Stillman has "nothing more than the deepest pity."

Mrs. Stillman added a sensational angle to the case by charging that Fred K. Beauvis, the Indian guide named correspondent by Mrs. Stillman and charged with the paternity of Guy Stillman, has been annoying her.

Her attorney has warned Beauvis to desist, she declared, and added that Fowler McCormick, of Chicago, a friend of the family, is remaining at the lodge with her and her children as a protector.

Mrs. Stillman said she knew that Mrs. Leeds was not the cause of her break with her husband, but that another woman was responsible. She said Mrs. Leeds had been replaced in Mr. Stillman's attentions by a New York society girl, whom she had heard he may marry if he is divorced.

About a month ago, Mrs. Stillman explained, she was informed that Mr. Stillman had broken with Mrs. Leeds.

Mrs. Stillman appeared far from her usual health. For two years during her court battle she postponed an operation to conserve her energy, but three weeks ago it was performed, she said, and she has not fully recovered.

"I really do not make a direct offer to Mrs. Leeds to adopt Jay," she said, "but would be glad to make such an offer any day. He is my son's half brother and if Mr. Stillman does not accept any responsibility for him, we do. It Jay Leeds' father isn't a gentleman, my son's a gentleman."

Mrs. Stillman said that if Mrs. Leeds "had any sense at all, she would fight like a tiger."

"I hope above all else," she added, "she will not sit still. I hope she will not let things slide by, hoping that somehow, in some way, she and the boy, especially the boy, will be taken care of. That doesn't gain anything with people like Stillman."

New York, May 25.—Jay Leeds, alleged illegitimate son of James A. Stillman, today has a total fortune of \$1,900, deposited in a penny bank, according to his mother.

The mother, Flo Leeds, former chorus girl, is a telegram from Atlantic City, addressed to the Associated Press, challenged the statement of Mrs. Anne Stillman, the banker's wife, who has asserted her willingness to take Jay into her own nursery, that the former New York banker settles \$500,000 on the "other woman" and her son in trust funds.

This statement appeared in an affidavit submitted by Mrs. Stillman in winning yesterday from the appellate division of the supreme court, confirmation of her award of \$90,000 a year alimony and \$15,000 counsel fees.

Mrs. Leeds in her telegram said: "Just saw paper. Boy's wealth today comprised of \$1,900 in penny bank. If records show what papers say they are positively false."

TWO ARE FINED

The Albany city treasury was enriched this morning to the amount of nearly twenty seven dollars, fine money assessed by Mayor Britian against two young men in connection with a charge of assault and battery. A large crowd attended the trial.

DIPLOMAS AWARDED DECATUR GRADUATES

Final Exercises Held In Auditorium Of The School

FINE ADDRESS BY DR. SNAVELY

Birmingham Educator Points Many Truths To The Graduates

Aside from the great address of Dr. Guy E. Snavely, at the final exercises of commencement week at the Decatur high school last night the most interesting feature was the calling of the list by Superintendent Benson of those who had been placed on the "honor roll"—some three dozen or more in number who had not missed a day from school during the entire year and who had met other important requirements.

The distinguished visitor's story of "the blind leading the blind" into paths of service, was as impressive as any other part of the inspirational address of Dr. Snavely. He delivered his address to the 14 graduates of the Decatur high school and to an overflow audience in the school auditorium.

Dr. Snavely's blind leading the blind story told of a near blind person teaching a totally blind person, who in turn became a great superintendent of a large blind asylum.

Do not fear to do and dare; if you want a field of service you can find it any where "taught—the college President. Dr. Snavely told the graduates that life was before them, that indeed it was commencement time for them. He advised that every one of the class, if possible attend higher institutions of learning before they quit the school room and the lecture room.

The panorama of history was spread out, in a clear and attractive manner by the speaker. He took each of great civilizations of the past and passed them in review before his audience. He said Egypt was a constructive civilization but mostly of material things. It was shown that Greece was a great civilization, but that its people strove for art for art's sake instead of for the sake of humanity. The power of Rome was shown to have been mighty and in a way inspiring, but Rome fell of its own weight, taught the speaker.

The civilizations which flourished up until the present time were described—but the speaker said he was sorry to say all civilizations had failed so far. He told the audience that America had fallen heir to the best ideas and the noblest of inspirations, and that so far as he could see it was for our present civilization to make good, or else the hope of an enduring civilization on this earth must prove a vain one.

The piano solo, "Air de Ballet" by Chaminade, was rendered just before the address of Dr. Snavely by Miss Martha Aldridge and the High School Glee Club sang a chorus following his address. As a member of the board of education for Decatur, Hon. S. A. Lynne, made a number of announcements, drawing especial attention to the fact that the next term of school would witness the completion of the new high school building on Pond street near the Tennessee river.

Superintendent W. W. Benson then read the list of honor students, and just preceding the benediction by Dr. Charles C. Davison, Pastor of the First Baptist church, Prof. Benson handed their diplomas to the following graduates—4 girls and 10 boys an order that is most generally reversed on such occasions:

Redus Collier, Raymond Conley, Lucile Hambrick, Normand Harris, Perry Henderson, Clyde Hendrix, Ferrow Himes, Francis Himes, Wesley Holland, Seybourne Lynne, Edward Price, Eleanor Ramage, DeWoody Wilkinson, and Rebecca Whyte.

WEATHER

For Alabama: Local thundershowers tonight and Saturday.



Lieut. & Mrs. John A. MacReady.

Lieutenant John A. Macready, internationally known aviator and the first man, with Lieutenant Oakley Kelly, to fly across America in a single flight, has a new commanding officer for life. Immediately after finishing his successful flight, Lieut. Macready married Miss Nellie Jay Turner of Los Angeles, whom he is saluting.

North Carolina Farmers Sign Pledge To "Live at Home" During This Year

(Associated Press.) RALEIGH, May 25.—A total of 2,278 North Carolina farmers have signed a pledge to "live at home," the result of a movement inaugurated early in the year by the workers of the state college and state department of agriculture, Extension Director B. W. Kilgore explained in announcing the total number of farmers who have agreed to carry out "certain fundamental things in successful farming in 1923."

Mr. Kilgore said that 2,278 farmers will be visited during the year by the county agents who will advise them about any problem confronting them in carrying out the provisions of the pledge.

The ten provisions are as follows: Raise enough corn and hay to carry me through 1924; raise enough meat to supply my family this year; have 12 months in the year garden; provide milk and butter for my family the whole year; keep an average of 30 hens on my farm throughout the year; improve my orchard by setting out fruits, small fruits and berries; work for richer land by planting legumes and other soil improving crops; enroll at least one of my children in club work; add some home convenience; beautify my homestead.

Those who perform at least seven of the ten articles will be given a certificate of honor.

CHURCH MEETING TALKS OF SHOALS

The Presbyterian churches of the United States, anticipating what may be a great industrial growth in the Tennessee Valley and in other sections of Alabama, will continue to maintain 33 mission churches in this state.

The report was given today by Rev. L. F. Goodwin, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church here who attended a home mission meeting of church in Indianapolis, just preceding the regular convention of the denomination held in that city.

Representatives of every state in the union were present at the meeting, the churches in each state being allowed one delegate. In addition there were a number of visitors. Alabama being at the top of the roll call, discussion of the future of the mission churches in the various states, gave Rev. Goodwin several opportunities to bring up the churches of this state.

Naturally in any discussion of the future of the churches Muscle Shoals figured. Rev. Goodwin declared today he was questioned at length by delegates from other sections, when they learned that he not only represented the churches of the Shoals district, but was pastor of a church in the same area.

"The widespread interest in the Shoals was even greater than I had anticipated," Rev. Goodwin said. "The delegates asked me all kinds of questions about the project. They gave me the impression they were in favor of development of the project by Henry Ford."

Inasmuch as many of the 33 mission churches, or churches partially supported by the national organization, are located in the Tennessee Valley, the conference decided, in anticipation of great industrial growth, to continue all of the churches during the ensuing year.

GERMANS ALARMED, ASK RIGHT TO ACT

Seek Permission From The French To Send Security Police

STRIKE IN RUHR SPREADS RAPIDLY

Fifty Thousand Miners Now Out And Others May Follow

(Associated Press.)

London, May 25.—The German government is alarmed at reports that armed communists bands are marching on Essen, says a Central News Dispatch from Berlin this afternoon. It has asked permission of the French authorities to send German police.

Essen, May 25.—The strike in the Ruhr, inaugurated by the communists is gaining in numbers and now includes thousands of iron and steel workers in addition to the miners previously out.

The latest to join were 20,000 employees of the steel works whose demand for a 50 per cent increase in pay was refused.

It is estimated that 50,000 miners are striking in the Gelsenkirchen district.

The communist commission of control are still holding the police headquarters.

Serious damage was inflicted on the Rhine-Horne canal last night, according to German sources. By the explosion of a large mine said to have been laid in Ruhrort harbor by German nationalists. The damage, the Germans say, is sufficient to effect transportation as it is draining the water from the harbor, which holds many barges loaded with coal, ready for the French to transport down the Rhine.

Thousands of windows within a radius of 700 yards were broken by the explosion, which caused excitement throughout the Duisburg area.

The French authorities minimized the damage, saying it is unimportant.

GRADUATES TO HEAR SERMON SUNDAY

Owing to the religious services to be held in the Princess Theater Sunday morning in connection with the Albany high school commencement a number of the local churches will hold no eleven o'clock services at their churches, but will hold their Sunday night services as usual.

The Central Baptist church, where it was originally intended to hold the commencement religious services, is one of the churches where no services will be held Sunday morning.

It was estimated that the only way to accommodate the crowds expected to hear the commencement sermon was to secure the Princess Theater.

Rev. D. Pittman a prominent minister of the Christian church of Nashville will preach the commencement sermon Sunday morning from the stage of the Princess Theater.

Former Pastor Will Preach Here

Rev. Geo. W. Wilburn of Fort Worth, Texas, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in South Albany, will preach the commencement sermon at the Rogersville high school Sunday at 11 a. m. and reach Albany late Sunday evening and preach for Pastor Monroe at the First Baptist church that night, leaving the city soon after the sermon for North Carolina on an evangelistic tour. He would be glad to meet his old friends at the evening service. Rev. Wilburn is one of North Alabama's most promising young ministers and has been for the past three years in the Southwestern Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas.

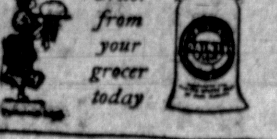
COTTON MARKET

(Associated Press.) New York, May 25.—Cotton futures opened steady. July 27-15; October 24-80; December 24-33; January 24-05; March unquoted.



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ALUMNI UNIT IS
FOUNDED BY SCHOOL

The alumni of the Decatur High School formed an alumni association Wednesday immediately following the class day exercises of the present graduating class.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Q. B. Dowdy, class of '18; first vice president, Ferrow Himes, class of '23; second vice president, Edgar Price, class of '23; secretary, Miss Flora Gardner, class of '18.

Miss Gardner in speaking for the new organization, stated that all former graduates of the Decatur High School are expected to become members of the alumni association, and requested that such graduates communicate with her, giving their names and addresses.

Following the organization meeting a reception was tendered the members of the class of '23 by the class of 1918.

Y. M. C. A. Board To
Name Members

A meeting will be held this afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. The meeting will be held at the association building. It is the intention of the board to add two other members to the body and an election will be held for this purpose.

The matter of securing a supply of water for the Association from the deep wells at the local Louisville and Nashville shops has been agitated for some time, it is said, and it is quite possible the board may take some action in connection with getting its large water supply piped to the building from the wells at the shops.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 362.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Music and Expression Recital Pupils of Misses Daphne Graves and Gladys Bernardi High School.

Canal Street Rook Club. Mrs. J. B. Cassells.

Friday Thirteen. Mrs. Jack Sniley.

Saturday Club Mrs. Tennis Tidwell.

PROGRESSIVE CULTURE CLUB

A delightful meeting of the Progressive Culture Club was held on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. B. Crawford as hostess. The Crawford home was unusually attractive with its decorations of cut flowers, in contrast to the inclement weather outside. Mrs. Crawford was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. G. W. Williamson, president of the club and Mrs. E. C. Payne, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. J. W. Cunningham and Mrs. Louis A. Neill. Mrs. James E. Penney, of Birmingham, who with her daughter, Miss Carol, spent the past year in Europe, gave entertaining reminiscences of her European trip. Mrs. Penney was a former member of the club and always charmed her hearers with her address. She is one of Alabama's interesting writers and belongs to the Writers Club of Birmingham.

Mrs. Louis A. Neill gave a brief but interesting report on the Mid-Biennial Convention of the Consul of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

At the close of the afternoon the hostess served light refreshments. Miss Sara Emens, the attractive and talented daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Emens of Trinity, Ala., is a member of the graduating class at Woman's College, Montgomery, Ala. Miss Emens will graduate the last of May, at this time receiving an A. B. degree and first grade teachers' certificate. Miss Emens is a very popular member of the senior class, and has made many friends during her stay at Woman's College. Miss Emens came to Woman's College in her junior year; the first two years of her college career being spent at Athens College, Athens, Ala.

MRS. MAY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. H. H. May entertained the Thursday Club and a number of her friends on Thursday afternoon to compliment her sister, Mrs. Nettles, of Peterman, Ala., who is her guest. A profusion of flowers decorated her apartments at the Banks home on Canal street, prettiest among these being baskets of Dorothy Perkins roses banked with vines.

Bridge was played at five tables and Mrs. May presented goblets and a strand of beads for high score to Mrs. Hamil, and Mrs. S. W. Irwin, and the booby prize bridge score set, to Miss Elizabeth Houston. Later Mrs. Markstein, Mrs. Pearson and Mrs. Hamil assisted in serving a tempting salad course.

The guest list included: Miss Mabel Nesbit, Miss Elizabeth Houston, Miss Ruth Banks, Mesdames J. Y. Hamil, Harry Carpenter, W. N. Coden, Sara Jeffries, Rufus Pearson, H. D. Burum, S. W. Irwin, J. W. Wyker, Preuit Cartwright, W. M. Bailey, S. H. Malone, H. D. Greer, W. B. Markstein, F. D. Peebles Russell Greene, B. M. Bloodworth and Nettles.

Robin Thomas returned this week from the University of Alabama, where he attended school the past year.

DAUGHTERS OF 1812.

Mrs. McCarty will be hostess at the meeting of the Daughters of 1812 on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of Dr. Rickles on Jackson street.

DINNER FOR MRS. PENNEY.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis A. Neill entertained at an informal dinner in honor of their house guest, Mrs. J. E. Penney of Birmingham.

The dining table was centered with a silver basket filled with pink roses and covers were laid for the following: Mrs. Penney, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bibb, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones and the host and hostess.

Miss Frances Cortner, of Athens College, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. A. Bowles, enroute to her home in Cortner, Tenn.

Miss Mary Kate Russell, of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived yesterday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. E. McKelvey.

Miss Margaret Speake, is expected home on Tuesday from Sullins College in Virginia, where she is a student.

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Store Employees
Enjoy An Outing

The following party, composed in large part of employees of the Ory-Cohen department store, enjoyed a pleasant outing Wednesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stone, Mr. Rufus Sullivan, Miss Ethel Ashford, Miss Bessie McKoin, Mr. Jessie Yarbrough, Mr. John Leavis, Dealova Alexander, Alberta Stone, Marion Stone, and Joe T. Sullivan.

Prof. Murphree Is
Twin City Visitor

Prof. Bert Murphree, an Albany high school graduate of some years ago, is here on a visit to his parents at Fairview.

After leaving Albany Mr. Murphree took a degree at the state University and the next year engaged in teaching. He will be superintendent of the Carbon Hill public schools at Carbon Hill next year. Mr. Murphree stated there were 17 teachers in the schools with close to 700 students.

The Luther League of the Lutheran Church will hold a market at Piggly Wiggly in Albany Saturday, May 25-1t

MY VACATION

WHERE, WHEN, AND HOW

"I expect to start my vacation, or rather the vacation of myself and Mrs. Rankin," said Marvin Rankin, "when we leave tomorrow for the Kiwanis convention in Atlanta. We expect to stay in the Georgia capital about a week, and then start our car for 'The Land of Flowers'."

"We hope to visit Miami, West Palm Beach and Jacksonville before our return. One other place we hope to make is De Land, Fla., where we will look up two former Twin city people—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cotting."

BUSINESS RELIGION
TAUGHT BY GARY

(Associated Press.)

New York, May 25.—Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation, today was forced by fatigue to permit Charles M. Schwab to complete the reading of a remarkable speech he was delivering before the American Iron and Steel institute, in which he combined optimistic comment on the steel industry, with a plea for nations and individuals to turn toward the Christian religion as a cure for world ills.

Mr. Gary, who previously had reported that a special committee of the institute believed it was feasible to abandon the much discussed twelve hour shift in steel industry, walked from the hall after turning over his manuscript to Mr. Schwab.

After Mr. Gary had rested for a while on a couch in an adjoining room, his secretary announced he had fully recovered from his exhaustion. Both Mr. Gary and his secretary insisted he was not ill.

Disclaiming any intention to "preach a sermon" Mr. Gary declared religion was "simple, plain business sense."

"It is in accordance with our instincts and judgment," he said, "to frequently proclaim, to say that it pays the nation for an individual to follow a Christian course."

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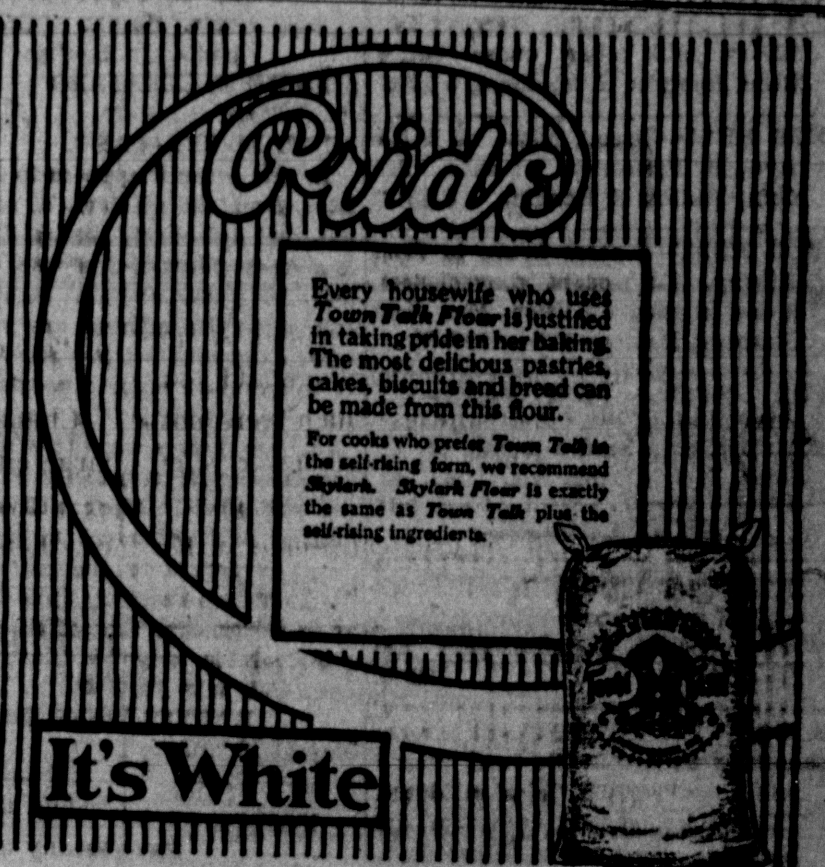
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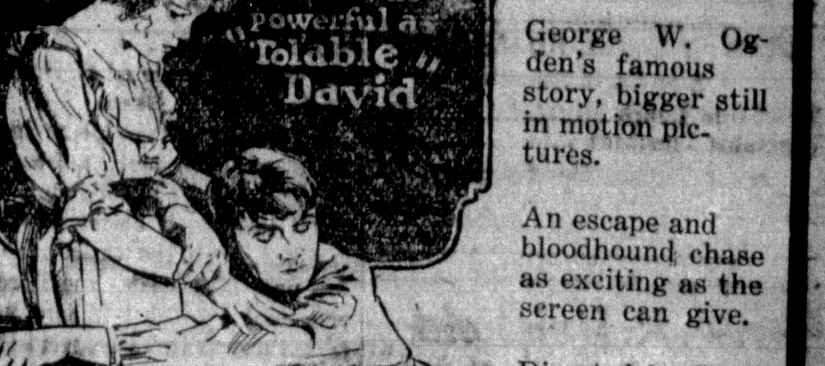
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NOTICE-SHERIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of two executions issued out of the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Ala., on the 31 day of March, 1923, to me directed, wherein I am commanded to make the amount of certain judgments lately recovered in said court by Holland Blow Stave Company, out of the property of J. E. Dutton, the judgment defendant, which execution has been levied by me upon the property herein-after described, I will offer for sale to the highest, best and last bidder FOR CASH, in front of the courthouse door in the City of Decatur, Ala., within the legal hours of sale, on the 11th day of June, 1923, the following described real estate situated in Morgan County, Ala., to-wit:

NE 1-4 of NE 1-4 less 5 acres East side; W 1-2 of SE 1-4 or NE 1-4, and E 1-2 of SE 1-4 of NE 1-4, less 10 1-2 acres south side, and 13 1-2 acres beginning at N E corner of NW 1-4 of SE 1-4, and running east and west 41 rods by 55 1-3 rods north and south; also 12 5-6 acres, beginning at NW corner of NE 1-4 of SE 1-4, and running north and south 53 1-3 rods by 47 1-2 rods east and west, all in section 17, township 8, range 5 west; SW 1-4, less 10 acres SE corner of SE 1-4 of SW 1-4, section 21, township 8, range 5; S 1-2 or SW 1-4, less 2 acres NW corner, and 13 1-3 acres in middle of NW 1-4 of SW 1-4 and 2 acres SW corner of NW 1-4 of SW 1-4, all in section 16, township 8, range 5; 27-16 acres SE corner of SE 1-4 of SE 1-4, and 9 acres SE corner of SE 1-4 of NE 1-4, and 11 5-16 acres in NE corner of NE 1-4 of SE 1-4, all in section 17, township 8, range 5.

Witness my hand as sheriff of said county, this 10th day of May, 1923. C. E. POOLE, Sheriff of Morgan County, Ala.

May 11 18 25 June 1

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Circuit Court, Morgan County, Alabama. In Equity: MAGGIE M. CERASARO vs. MICHAEL CERASARO.

In this cause it appears to the Register, from the affidavit of complainant, that defendant, Michael Cerasaro, is a non-resident of Alabama, over the age of 21 years, and that his residence and postoffice address are unknown, after diligent effort to learn the same. It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made once a week for four consecutive weeks in The Albany-Decatur Daily, a newspaper published in Morgan County, requiring said defendant to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by June 10, 1923, or in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him. This may 10, 1923.

MARVIN WEST, Register.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The undersigned, under and by authority and order of the Probate Court of Morgan County, Alabama, will, on the 11th day of June, 1923 between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 4 o'clock p. m. offer for sale the following described real estate, situated in Morgan County, Alabama, to-wit:

East half of northeast quarter, Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West, containing 80 acres.

Three and one-half acres south of Mill Creek, and evenly on the east side of west half of northeast quarter, Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West.

20 acres on the north side of the southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 8, Range 3 West, bounded on the north by the property of J. D. Cook and John M. McCormack; on the south and west by property of C. S. Chenault, and on the east by property of A. G. Patterson.

West half of southwest quarter of southwest, quarter of Section 11, Township 8, Range 3 West.

54 acres on the east side of southeast quarter less 1 acre for the pike, Section 10, Township 8, Range 3 West, being bounded on the north by the lands of J. C. Tidwell; on the south by lands of C. A. Alsbrook; on the west by lands of H. D. Cole, J. D. Cook and J. F. Bean.

Said sale to take place in front of the courthouse door, in Decatur, Ala., and will be on the following terms:

All cash, or if better prices may be realized, then the same may be sold for one-third cash, one-third in one year and one-third in two years, deferred payments to be secured by first mortgage on property sold, with provision in the mortgage for sale in case of default in any part of the purchase money.

The several tracts of land above described will first be offered separately, and then as a whole, and the way they bring the most will be considered as the sale made, sale subject to confirmation.

E. P. COOK, Administrator of Estate of J. D. Cook, deceased. May 11 18 25

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- 1 Underwood Typewriter No. 5.
- 1 Adding Machine No. 18170.
- 1 Carey Safe.
- 1 Desk.

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New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price

New York, May 25.—Anyone who first that young Leeds was working his way across the ocean on a bet of \$10,000, but this has been denied and those close to him insist that he always loved the sea and decided to learn navigation in this way. He is on his way to Hull, England, where he is to be joined by his Greek princess wife, and his valet, whom he sent on ahead on a passenger ship.

I have been growing tired of Broadway and Fifth avenue, palatial galleries and fashionable churches; and I had decided to make some little journeys into the by-ways and interesting corners that this big city has to offer those who will look for them. Then the other day, there came to me a quaint letter on brownish paper bordered in gay blue, quite unlike the "arty" and "snappy" day's allotment of sales letters, with a vista of fairytale at the top, with ships and castles and children and rabbits and sunshine—above a plain business address, and the announcement of "books" and many joyful things for children. Here was my first little journey calling me. Sure enough, tucked away in a row of old homes and new shops in West Forty-ninth street I found in John Martin's bookshop all that the fairytale vignette had promised. While I was peering about this enchanted place, I heard the story of a romance in business—of a man who crystallized his mother's influence and the dreams she sent him dreaming in a child's magazine, John Martin Book. Whether the book takes its gayety from the place or the place supplies the joy, I could not tell, but out of the beaten track in the "roaring Forties" is a playground whose avenues lead out over the land.

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We have come to think of Pinero as a sophisticated, hardcut playwright, but his "Enchanted Cottage," playing at the Ritz, is as much like Barrie, in all of his wistful and fanciful whimsicality, as we have had upon our stage in many a year. That Katherine Cornell, the brilliant young actress who burst into fame in "The Bill of Divorcement," followed by "Will Shakespeare," plays the leading woman's role is enough to make the play attract us, aside from its own delightful qualities.

It has just come out that William B. Leeds, son of the Princess Anastasia of Greece, and the late "Tin Plate King," is on the high seas as an ordinary seaman. He shipped recently on a freighter as "W. H. Grauer, able seaman." It was reported at

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